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RAILWAY ACCIDENTS.

Parliamentary Return, May, 1852.

No. 335.

A Return of the Number of Accidents on all the Railways in Great Britain and Ireland, from the 1st of July to the 31st of December, 1851, and the Number of Passengers conveyed during that period.

		Kille	d.		Injured.					
	Passen- gers.	Servants of Com- panies, &c.	Tres- passers.	Total.	Passen- gers.	Servants of Com- panies, &c.	Tres- passers.	Total.		
From causes beyond their own control	8	30		38	213	17		230		
Owing to their own misconduct, or want of caution	9	32		41	14	11		25		
By crossing or walk-			33	33			9	9		
Suicide			1	1						
Total	17	62	34	113	227	28	9	264		

The number of Pas	ssengers co	nveyed during t	he half-year	amounted to	47,509,392
Consequently one	Passenger	was Killed in			2,796,000
one	,,	<i>Injured</i> in			209,000

Increase during the half-year...... 192 ,,

THE MARRIAGES, BIRTHS, AND DEATHS,

REGISTERED IN THE DIVISIONS, COUNTIES, AND DISTRICTS OF ENGLAND.

The Marriages for the Quarter ended the 30th June, 1852, and the Births and Deaths for the Quarter ended the 30th September, 1852,

AS PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY OF THE REGISTRAR-GENERAL.

This return comprises the births and deaths registered by 2,190 registrars in all the districts of England during the Summer quarter ended September 30th, 1852; and the marriages in more than 12,000 churches or chapels, about 3,228 registered places of worship unconnected with the Established Church, and 624 superintendent registrars' offices, in the quarter that ended June 30th, 1852.

The return of marriages is not complete; but the defects are inconsiderable, and approximative numbers have been supplied from the records of previous years.

The marriages, births, and deaths in the return exceed the average; so that the result is mixed; indicating great activity in all the sources of employment, but no general diminution of the causes of mortality.

Marriages.-80,014 persons were married in the quarter ended June 30th,

1852; and thus 40,007 new families were established, or 5,286 more than were established in the corresponding quarter of 1848. The proportion of persons married to the population was 1,766; of marriages 883 in 100,000; while the average numbers are respectively 1,656 and 828. The increase in the marriages appears to be general; but it is the greatest in London, where the marriages in the quarter were 6,713, or 1,304 more than the marriages in the corresponding quarter of 1848. In Hampshire, Devonshire, Somersetshire, Cheshire, Lancashire, Durham, Cumberland, and South Wales, and generally in the ports from which emigrants sail, an unusual number of marriages was celebrated.

Births.—151,193 births were registered in the quarter ended September 30th, 1852. The number slightly exceeds the high number registered in the corresponding quarter of 1851, and is greater by 31,371 than the number registered in 1840, when it is believed the registration was more imperfect than it is now. Within the last twelve months 621,260 children have been enrolled on the national registers. The rate of births in England is influenced by the seasons; it is higher in the first than it is in the last two quarters of the year, in the proportion of 34 to 31. Thus, taking one year with another, the annual rate of births per cent. in the spring quarter is 3.411, in the summer quarter 3.147; the rates in 1852 were 3.516 and 3.294.

INCREASE OF POPULATION.—As 151,193 births and 100,497 deaths have been registered in the quarter, the natural increase is 50,696, which is at the rate of 3,899 weekly, and 557 daily. The natural increase is less than it has hitherto usually been, not through any diminution in the number of births, but by the increase of deaths from epidemic causes.

Marriages, Births, and Deaths, returned in the Years 1840-52 and in the Quarters of those Years.

YEARS	1840	1841	1842	1843	1844	1845	1846	1847	1848	1849	1850*	1851	1852
Births	502303	512158	517739	527325	540763	543521	572625	539965	138230 563059 399833	578159	593422	616251	
		Marriages.											
Quarters ended the last day of March		24447 32551 29397 36101	25860 30048 27288 35629	31113	34268 31675	29551 35300 35003 43889	81417 37111 35070 42066	35197 32439	34721	28429 35844 33874 43736	39204 37636	38498 37155	40007
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March June September December	129059 119822	129884 123868	134096 123296	131279 128161	136941 130078	136853 132369	149450 138718	139072 127173	1149760	153693 135223	155865 146911	159138 150584	161776 159136 151193
						3	DEATHS	3.					
March June September December	98896 90339 80822 89630	86134 75440	86538 82339	87234 76792	79708	89149 74872		106718 93435	87638	102153 135235	92875 85846	99639 91600	106682 100813 100497

^{*} The numbers up to 1850 have appeared in the Annual Reports.

EMIGRATION.—Emigration has proceeded with increased activity. The emigration from the United Kingdom went on through the summer at a rate which, if it continue the same, will sensibly reduce the population. 109,236 persons left the ports at which there are Government emigration officers; 62,579 sailed for the United States, 7,116 for British North America, 38,601 for the Australian Colonies, and 940 for other places. 8,335 emigrants sailed from Irish, 5,976 from Scotch ports. 94,925 sailed from English ports, namely, 70,012 from Liverpool,

3,125 from Plymouth, and 21,788 from London. The destination of 14,956 of the emigrants from London was Australia. It is well known that a large proportion of the emigrants that sail from the port of Liverpool are of Irish birth.*

PRICE OF FOOD.—It will be observed in the table below that the average price of wheat has been 41s. 2d., and that butcher's meat has been slightly dearer than it was.

The Average Prices of Consols, Wheat, Meat, and Potatoes, also the Average Quantity of Wheat sold and imported Weekly, in each of the five Quarters ended September 30th, 1852.

Quarters ended	Average Price of Consols.	Average Price of Wheat per Quarter in England and Wales.	Wheat sold in the 290 Cities and Towns in England Home Consumption at making Returns. Wheat and Wheat Flour entered for sumption at Chief Ports of Great Britain.		of Meat p Leade and Newga	nhall	Potatoes (York Regents) per Ton at Waterside Market, Southwark.	
		and water		nber of Quar- Veekly.	Beef.	Mutton.		
1851								
Sept. 30.	96 1 /2	40s. 7d.	74,714	91,040	3d5d. Mean $4d.$	$3\frac{3}{4}d.$ — $5\frac{3}{4}d.$ Mean $4\frac{3}{4}d.$	90s.—110s. Mean 100s.	
Dec. 31.	977	36s. 7d.	109,506	47,986	3d.— $5d$. Mean $4d$.	$3\frac{3}{4}d5\frac{3}{4}d.$ Mean $4\frac{3}{4}d.$	65s.—75s. Mean 70s.	
1852	1			l	lizour zur	1400		
Mar. 31.	971	40s. 10d.	95,532	27,540	$3\frac{1}{4}d5d.$ Mean $4\frac{1}{8}d.$	$3\frac{3}{4}d5\frac{3}{4}d.$ Mean $4\frac{3}{4}d.$	60s.—80s. Mean 70s.	
June 30.	998	40s. 10d.	87,949	54,675	$3\frac{1}{4}d4\frac{3}{4}d.$ Mean $4d.$	$3\frac{3}{4}d5\frac{1}{4}d.$ Mean $4\frac{1}{2}d.$	85s.—110s. Mean 97s. 6d.	
Sept. 30.	100	41s. 2d.	78,712	67,912	$3\frac{1}{4}d5d.$ Mean $4\frac{1}{8}d.$	4d.—6d. Mean 5d.	80s.—100s. Mean 90s.	

Note.—The total number of quarters of wheat sold in England and Wales for the 13 weeks ended September 30th, 1851, was 971,276; for the 13 weeks ended December 31st, 1,423,582; for the 13 weeks ended March 31st, 1852, 1,241,921; for the 13 weeks ended June 30th, 1,143,339; for the 13 weeks ended September 30th, 1,023,251. The total number of quarters entered for Home Consumption was, respectively, 1,183,523; 671,803; 358,024; 710,780; and 882,850; the second total, however, embraces the returns of 14 weeks.

STATE OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH.—100,497 deaths were registered in the quarter ended September 30th. This number greatly exceeds the number of deaths in any of the corresponding quarters of previous years, except 1846 and 1849, when 101,663 deaths and 135,235 deaths respectively were registered. The excessive mortality in the summer of 1846 was the result of an extensive epidemic of summer cholera and diarrhoa; Asiatic cholera was epidemic in the summer of 1849; and in the present quarter the chief causes of the increase of deaths were the same as were in operation in 1846. The temperature of summer in 1846 was high; and the summer of 1852 exhibited great variations; on July 5th the temperature exceeded 90°, and through the month of July was 5° above the average; heavy thunderstorms were observed. The two subsequent months were colder or warmer than the average of the season.

Cholera, of the epidemic, or perhaps the Asiatic form, broke out in Warsaw, as well as other cities on the continent, and created some alarm in England while diarrhoea and summer cholera were prevailing.

^{*} Return with which the Registrar General has been favoured by the Emigration Commissioners.

In London 1,433 deaths from diarrhœa, and 127 deaths from cholera, were registered in thirteen weeks. Diarrhœa, which had been fatal to 20, 10, 19, 13, and 17 persons in the five weeks ended July 3rd, when the mean weekly temperature was between 52° and 60°, rose, after the weekly temperature suddenly ascended to 71°, and remained above 65° or 60°,—to 31, 48, 94, 125, 213, 201, 208 in the 7 weeks ended August 21st. On the week following the deaths from diarrhœa fell to 125, and the deaths from cholera were 15. It was then observed in the report on the health of the week, that in the interval between the two great epidemics of Asiatic cholera, in the years 1832 and 1849, on the continent a partial outbreak occurred, which did not reach England; and a hope was expressed that, upon the present occasion, this country may enjoy a like immunity.

The deaths by cholera in London, during the five summer quarters of 1848-52, were 153, 12,847, 87, 188, 127. In the thirteen weeks of the past summer small-pox was fatal in 231 cases, measles in 129, scarlatina in 668, hooping-cough in 244, and typhus in 52 0. 1,672 persons died of consumption, 26 women died of metria, and 55 of other diseases incidental to child-bearing. An epidemic of boils prevailed, which is rarely fatal, but is indicated by the increase of deaths by carbuncle. 21 deaths were directly referred to intemperance, 28 to delirium tremens, only 1 to privation. The deaths by poison were 23, burns and scalds 24, hanging and suffocation 65, drowning 114, fractures and contusions 162, wounds 20.

The annual rate of mortality in the 117 London and other chief town districts, for the summer quarters 1842-51 was 2.536 per cent.; for the summer quarter of 1852 it was 2.590. The annual rate of mortality in the other 507 districts of the kingdom was 1.826 and 1.908. The increase was rather less in the town than it was in the country districts.

Deaths in the Summer Quarters.

	1842	1843	1844	1845	1846	1847	1848	1849	1850	1851	Total. 1842–51	1852
chief towns)	39409	36 9 53	38933	36139	51405	49479	43145	78159	42777	46061	462760	51635
In 506 Districts, com- prising chiefly small towns and country parishes	42930	39839	40775	38733	50258	43956	44317	57205	43267	45539	446819	48862
Total	82339	76792	79708	74872	101663	93435	87762	135364	86044	91600	909579	100497

Population, Deaths, and Mortality per cent. in the Summer Quarters of 11 Years, 1842-52.

	Population :	Enumerated	Deaths	Annual Rate of	Annual Rate of
	June 6-7th, 1841.	March 31st, 1851.	in 10 Summer Quarters, 1842–51.	Mortality of 10 Summer Quarters, 1842-51.	Mortality in the Summer Quarter, 1852.
In 117 Districts, com- prising the chief towns	6,612,958	7,795,882	462,760	2.536	2.590
In 506 Districts, com- prising chiefly small towns and country parishes	9,301,190	10,126,886	446,819	1.826	1.908
All England	15,914,148	17,922,768	909,579	2.112	2.190

MORTALITY OF THE METROPOLIS.

A Table of the Deaths in London from all Causes, Registered in the September Quarters of the Four Years, 1849-52.

	Quarters ended Sept.		CAMADA AD DEATH		Quarters ended Sept.					
CAUSES OF DEATH.	1849.	1850.	1851.	1852.	CA	USES OF DEATH.	1849.	1850.	1851.	1852.
ALL CAUSES	27,109		12,887	1 -	III.	Scrofula	85	80	95	106
SPECIFIED CAUSES	27,050		12,837			Tabes Mesenterica Phthisis or Con-	282 1,506	238 1,508	251 1,683	279 1,672
I. Zymotic Diseases	17,763	3,011	3,854	3,723		sumption j Hydrocephalus	393	357	348	406
SPORADIC DISEASES.					IV.	Cephalitis	134	131	132	130
II. Dropsy, Cancer, and other Diseases of	= 40					Apoplexy	282 248	281 245	293 239	283 234
uncertain or va- (540	574	571	555		Delirium Tremens	61	55 1	35 2	28 2
riable Seat J III. Tubercular Diseases	2,266	2,183	2,377	2,463		Chorea Epilepsy	101	68	77	75
IV. Diseases of the Brain,	1,531	1,372	1,394	1,423		Tetanus	7 20	4 20	1 33	3 27
Spinal Marrow, Nerves, and Senses	1,001	1,0,2	1,004	1,120		Insanity	512	422	444	504
V. Diseasesofthe Heart) and Blood Vessels (455	424	418	464	v.	Disease of Brain, &c. Pericarditis	166 22	145 25	138 27	137 20
VI. Diseases of the	}					Aneurism Disease of Heart	19	20 379	27 21	14
Lungs and of the other Organs of	1,211	1,032	1,163	1,148	VI.	Laryngitis	414 33	43	370 28	430 31
Respiration						Bronchitis	422 30	380 24	469 33	382 31
mach, Liver, and	861	748	803	846		Pneumonia	587	439	478	544
Respiration VII. Diseases of the Sto- mach, Liver, and other Organs of Digestion					ll .	Asthma Disease of Lungs, &c	62	83 63	66 89	71 89
VIII. Diseases of the Kid-)	143	166	131	124	V11.	Teething	153	121	132	133
neys, &c i	118	116	119	108		Quinsey Gastritis	20 22	15 32	14 34	17 22
of the Uterus, &c.)	110	110	119	100		Enteritis	135	106	114	131
X. Rheumatism, Dis- eases of the Bones,	84	100	94	119		Peritonitis	48 29	57 35	44 35	47 35
Joints, &c ,	١					Ulceration (of In- testines, &c.) }	31	28	32	33
X1. Diseases of the Skin, 1 Cellular Tissue, &c	15	16	20	26		Hernia	28	21	33	23
XII. Malformations XIII. Premature Birth &)	49	43	37	48		Intussuscention	40 15	33 8	33 12	39 11
Debility	364 458	370 361	406 416	415		Intussusception Stricture of the In-)	6	13	10	9
XIV. Atrophy	558	439	502	510		testinal Canal) Dis. of Stomach, &c.	78	53	82	60
XVI. Sudden*	184	115	85	71		Disease of Pancreus	57	1 47	46	60
XVII. Violence, Privation, Cold, and Intem-	450	450	447	556	[]	Hepatitis	41	52	41	59
perance						Jaundice Disease of Liver Disease of Spleen	156	125	139	164 2
					VIII.	Nephritis	7	Jô	2 7	6
1. Small Pox	78	109	243	231 129	}	Nephria (or Bright's Disease)	30	33	25	25
Measles Scarlatina	274 386	178 316	260 291	129 668		Ischuria Diabetes	4 8	3	10	2 8
Hooping Cough	428	300	360	244		Stone	8	9 6	10 6	5
Croup	76 67	57 59	46 74	74 72		Cystitis Stricture of Urethra	10 12	8 16	5 11	6 13
Diarrhœa	12,457	1,161	1,456	1,433		Dis. of Kidneys, &c.	64	81	66	59
Dysentery Cholera	208 12,847	73 87	67 188	58 127	IX.	Paramenia Ovarian Dropsy	2 14	$\frac{2}{20}$	1 15	6 14
Influenza Purpura and Scurvy	13	9	7 14	3		Childbirth.seeMetria	61	57	55	55
Ague	6	7	5	1	x.	Dis. of Uterus, &c Arthritis	41 3	37 1	48 2	33
Infantile Fever+	24 15	17	38 17	21 10		Rheumatism Disease of Joints, &c.	44 37	53 46	46 46	74
Typhus	710	8 474	627	520	XI.	Carbuncle	2	9	4	45 15
metria, or Puer-)	33	33	34	26		Philegmon	7 6	3 4	6 10	2 9
Childbirth)					XVII.	Intemperance	15	16	13	21
see Rheumatism	13	16	19	12	l	Privation	12	2	3	1
Erysipelas Syphilis	99 17	65 33	76 23	54 24	l	Milk, see Priva-	69	57	67	101
Noma or Canker.)			9	5	ļ		3	1		
see Mortification) Hydrophobia					1	Cold, see Privation Poison	1 20	26	1 10	2 23
II. Hæmorrhage	56	60	48	49		Burns and Scalds	32	26	35	34
Abscess	203	191 17	177 23	183 27		Hanging, &c Drowning	35 96	53 94	43 89	65 114
Ulcer Fistula	12	15	10	10 4		Fractures and Con- 1	131	137	156	162
Mortification	33	39	47	35		tusions (18	19	21	20
Cancer Gout	200	238 10	245 14	235 12		Other Violence Causes not specified	18 59	19 58	9 50	13 104
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^{*} Under the head of "sudden deaths," are classed not only deaths described as sudden, of which the cause has not been ascertained or stated; but also all deaths returned by the Coroner in vague terms, such as "found dead," "natural causes," &c., &c.
† In the years previous to 1848, "Worms" and "Infantile Fever" were classed together. The former, of very rare occurrence, is now placed to diseases of stomach, &c.

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REVENUE.

Abstract of the Net Produce of the Revenue of Great Britain in the Years and Quarters ending 5th January, 1852 and 1853; showing the Increase or Decrease thereof.—(Continued from page 373, vol. xv.)

[From the "London Gazette."]

g 45	Years ended 5th January.								
Sources of Revenue.	1852.	1853.	Increase.	Decrease.					
	£	£	£	£					
Customs	18,761,069	18,695,382		65,687					
Excise	13,093,170	13,356,981	263,811	••••					
Stamps	5,933,549	6,287,261	353,712	••••					
Taxes	3,563,962	3,377,843		186,199					
Property Tax	5,304,923	5,509,637	204,714	••••					
Post Office	1,064,000	1,022,000		42,000					
Crown Lands	150,000	260,000	110,000	••••					
Miscellaneous	172,241	293,729	121,488	••••					
Total Ordinary Revenue	48,042,914	48,802,833	1,053,725	293,806					
Imprest and other Moneys.	643,410	634,063		9,347					
Repayments of Advances	802,943	1,031,297	228,354	••••					
Total Income	49,489,267	50,468,193	1,282,079	303,153					
Deduct L	ecrease	·	303,153						

Increase on the Year 978,926

Sources of Revenue.	Quarters ended 5th January.									
Sources of Revenue.	1852.	1853.	Increase.	Decrease.						
	£	£	£	€						
Customs	4,559,512	4,541,384		18,128						
Excise	3,552,970	3,539,646		13,324						
Stamps	1,427,485	1,615,029	187,544	••••						
Taxes	1,185,922	1,419,873	233,951							
Property Tax	367,956	468,238	100,282							
Post Office	246,000	272,000	26,000	••••						
Crown Lands	40,000	80,000	40,000							
Miscellaneous	30,574	32,008	1,434							
Total Ordinary Revenue	11,410,419	11,968,178	589,211	31,452						
Imprest and other Moneys.	117,545	142,938	25,393							
Repayments of Advances	372,371	491,995	119,624							
Total Income	11,900,335	12,603,111	734,228	31,452						
Deduct Decrease										
Increase on the Quarter 702,776										

Consolidated Fund Operations .- The total income brought to this account in

Consolidated Fund Operations.—The total income brought to this account in the quarter ended 5th January, 1853, was 12,631,747l. The total charge upon it was 7,716,669l., leaving a surplus of 4,915,078l.

The surplus Revenue, after providing for the charge on the Consolidated Fund, and for the payment of Supply Services in Great Britain, in the quarter ended 5th January, 1853, was 474,918l.

CORN.

Average Prices of Corn per Imperial Quarter in England and Wales, during each Week of the Fourth Quarter of 1852; together with the Monthly, Quarterly, and Yearly Average—(Continued from p. 374, vol. xv.)

[Supplied by the Controller of Corn Returns.]

Weeks ended on a Saturday,		Weekly Average.										
1852.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Beans.	Peas.						
October 2	s. d. 38 9 38 5	s. d. 27 4	s. d. 17 4 17 6	s. d. 30 5	s. d. 33 10	s. d. 30 0						
16	38 5 37 10 38 8 39 2	27 5 27 8 28 8 29 5	17 6 18 0 17 10 17 6	28 10 30 1 25 8 26 0	34 0 34 1 34 2 34 7	30 4 30 4 30 9 31 5						
Average for October	38 6	28 1	17 7	28 2	34 1	30 6						
November 6	39 5 39 11 40 0 40 5	29 9 30 2 30 6 30 7	18 3 18 7 18 9 18 6	24 10 27 8 29 9 27 1	35 3 35 4 35 6 35 2	33 5 32 6 33 3 32 3						
Average for November	39 11	30 3	18 6	27 4	35 3	32 10						
December 4	41 2 42 1 43 10 45 11	30 0 29 9 29 9 29 9	18 5 18 7 18 5 18 6	30 11 26 11 29 2 29 4	35 5 35 4 34 6 34 11	32 8 31 10 32 0 32 4						
Average for December	43 3	29 9	18 5	29 1	35 0	32 2						
Average for the Quarter	40 5	29 3	18 2	28 2	34 9	31 9						
Average for the Year 1852	40 9	28 6	19 1	29 10	32 3	30 7						

Foreign and Colonial Wheat and Wheat-Flour imported in each of the Months ended 10th October, 5th November, and 5th December, 1852; the Quantities Entered for Home Consumption during the same Months; and the Quantities remaining in Warehouses at the close thereof.—(Continued from p. 374, vol. xv.)

[From the "London Gazette."]

				WI	IEAT.				
Months ended.		Imported,			es entered : onsumption		In Bond	at the Mon	th'send.
ended.	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.
1852. 10th Oct. 5th Nov. 5th Dec.		qrs. 1,950 5,889 4,066	qrs. 315,503 420,214 405,151	qrs. 313,703 414,325 401,380	qrs. 1,950 5,889 4,065	qrs. 315,653 420,214 405,445	qrs. 2,458 2,458 2,164	qrs. 1 1 1	qrs. 2,459 2,459 2,165
WHEAT-FLOUR.									
Months	Imported.			Quantities entered for Home Consumption.			In Bond at the Month's end.		
ended.	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.
1852. 10th Oct. 5th Nov. 5th Dec.	260,795	cwts. 12,198 24,246 15,734	cwts. 298,407 285,042 169,806		cwts. 12,198 24,246 15,734	cwts. 298,407 285,042 169,806	cwts. 7 7 7	cwts. 7 7 7	cwts. 14 14 14

Fluctuations in the Stock and Share Market during Mouths of October, November, and December, 1852.—(Continued from p. 375, vol. xv.)	ck and Sh	iare Mari	tet durin	g Month.	s of Octo	ber, Nove	mber,	$nnd D_{\ell}$	хетье	, 1852	:-(a	mtinue	d from	p. 375,	vol. xv.)
	A M	Amount of Share.	ïê.	Ą	Amount Paid	1.	P.	Price on the	91	Highes the	Highest Price during the Months of	luring of	Lowes	Lowest Price during the Months of	ring the
Stocks and Shares.	October.	November. December.	December.	October.	November.	November. December. 1st Oct. 2nd Nov. 1st Dec.	1st Oct.	2nd Nov.	1st Dec.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Consols Exchequer Bills	(March.)	(March.)	(March.)	: :	: :	::	100 <u>1</u> 70 <u>1</u>	100 8 763 Pm.	101g 70½ Pm.	100 \$ 78 Pm.	101 8 78 Pm.	101 2 72 Pm.	866 89	100 4 70 Pm.	100 ex. div. 58 Pm.
RAILWAYS— Brighton Galedonian Galedonian Galedonian Great Northern Great Northern Great Northern London and North-Western Midland Mancashire and Yorkshire. North Staffordshire South-Bastern South-Bastern York, Newcastle, & Berwick York, Newcastle, & Berwick	Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock	Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock	Stock Stock	Stock Stock 20 20 Stock Stock Stock 173 Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock	Stock Stock 20 20 Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock	Stock Stock 20 Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock Stock	1044 1117 1117 1117 113 835 113 835 113 854 864 864 864 864 864 864 864 864 864 86	1055 1055 1055 1055 1055 1055 1055 1055	1094 67 134 128 128 128 134 134 134 134 134 134 134 134 134 134	106 1254 1254 1264 1264 138 138 138 138 138 138 138 138 138 138	109 683 133 1293 81 81 81 81 89 78 78 643 643	1104 704 1284 1294 878 814 888 885 777 777 632 632 632 632 632	103 444 111 1964 1084 1284 1284 1288 1288 1288 1288 1288 12	105 533 1233 1223 7732 8644 1224 7644 7644 7644 7644 7644 7644 7644 7	107 66 13 88 88 88 77 78 13 13 13 13 13 13 13 13 13 13 13 13 13
Northern of France East Indian	88	88	900	1 6 20	16 20	16 20	288 274	34 <u>7</u> 28 <u>7</u>	36 8 294	34 3 29	39 294	361 293	28 ‡ 27§	34 4 28 <u>4</u>	33 3 29

Average Price of Meat as sold in Smithfield Market in the Months of Oct., Nov., and Dec., 1852.—(Continued from p. 375, vol. xv.)
[From Returns sent to the Board of Trade.]

Oct. Nov. Dec.	<i>d</i> . 8. <i>d</i> . 8. <i>d</i> . 9. <i>d</i> . 9. 9. 9. 9. 9. 9. 9. 9. 9. 9. 9. 9. 9.		
ő	:::: %www4		
Description.	Coarse Calves Small Prine Calves Large Hogs Small Neat Porkers	ng the offal.	
Oct. Nov. Dec.	3. 6. 3. 8. 3. 10 4. 10 	one, sinki	
Nov.	20044 24000	to the st	
Oct.	20044 2000	oirdupois	
Description.	Inferior Sheep	N.B.—Price of Meat at the rate of 8 lbs. Avoirdupois to the stone, sinking the offal.	
Dec.	3. 6 3. 0 3. 0 3. 0 3. 0	.B.—Pric	
Oct. Nov. Dec.	2000000 240400	A	
Oct.	200004 20040		
Description.	Inferior Beasts 2nd class 3rd class 4th class (Scots)		

Fluctuations in the Stock and Share Market during the Year 1852.—(Continued from p. 375, vol. xv.)

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	Amount of Share	Amount Paid	Price in 1852.	n 1852.	Highest Price	Lowest Price
Stock and Shares.	31st December, 1852.	31st December, 1852.	1st January.	31st December.	during the Year.	during the Year.
Consols			26	100½ ex. div.	101 ex. div.	953
Exchequer Bills			57s. Pm.	70s. Pm.	83s. Pm.	558. Pm.
RAILWAYS-				# # # # # # # # # # # # # # # # # # #		
Brighton	Stock	Stock	$96\frac{1}{2}$	108	1103	93
Caledonian	Stock	Stock	33	29	10	28
Eastern Counties	Stock	20	£9	131	13\$	64
Great Northern	Stock	Stock	753	82	92	713
Great Western	Stock	Stock	28	951	108	84
London and North Western	Stock	Stock	1173	126	135‡	114
Midland	Stock	Stock	583	803	81	54
North Staffordshire	20	173	$9\frac{1}{2}$	13\$	14	83
South Eastern	Stock	Stock	658	84	85%	29₹
South Western	Stock	Stock	87	92	103	84
York, Newcastle, and Berwick	Stock	Stock	75	73	784	658
York and North Midland	Stock	Stock	464	09	64}	41
Northern of France	20	16	182	35	39	173
East Indian	20	20	233	29	293	22\$

CURRENCY.

An Account, pursuant to the Act Ith and 8th Victoria, c. 32, for each Week ended on a Saturday, for the Fourth Quarter of 1852.
[Compiled from the "London Gazette."] BANK OF ENGLAND.

	Silver Bullion.	19,154 19,154 19,154 19,154 19,154		Fotal Cr.	39,973,706 40,138,554 37,148,034 37,148,034 36,591,781 36,587,185 38,737,943 38,390,910 39,547,478 40,247,483 40,622,335
	Gold Coin and Bullion.	20,779,021 21,130,106 21,227,736 20,951,516 20,475,771 20,052,771			
	Other Securities.	2,984,900 2 2,984,900 2 2,984,900 2 2,984,900 2 2,984,900 2 2,984,900 2		Gold and Silver Coin.	563,215 810,188 618,153 506,088 390,685 392,685 573,419 488,405 573,485 570,099
				Notes.	12,746,580 12,655,445 11,392,445 11,576,015 11,576,015 11,241,580 12,506,195 12,153,736 12,153,736 12,153,736 12,153,736 12,153,736 12,153,74 12,153,74 12,153,74 12,153,74 12,153,74 12,153,74 13,15,100 12,153,74 13,15,100
	Government Debt.	11,015,100 11,015,100 11,015,100 11,015,100 11,015,100 11,015,100		<u>.</u>	
	Notes in hands of Public.	22,670,825 22,703,065 22,723,150 22,555,570 22,236,465 22,236,465		Other Securities.	12,474,739 12,483,659 11,179,658 11,179,658 11,179,658 11,136,1358 11,146,678 11,160,678
	Notes Issued.	34,798,175 35,209,260 35,246,890 34,970,670 34,495,125 34,071,925		Government Securities.	14,189,183 14,189,183 13,950,375 13,950,375 13,950,375 13,92,688 13,92,688 13,92,688 13,92,688 13,92,688 13,92,688 13,92,688 13,92,688 13,92,688
ISSUE DEPARTMENT.	Date,	1852. Nov. 20 Dec. 4 " 11 " 18 " 25	BANKING DEPARTMENT	Total Dr.	39,973,706 44),185,554 87,146,034 87,214,033 87,214,033 86,87,186 88,57,186 88,57,945 88,57,945 88,57,946 88,57,746 89,57,47 89,57,47 40,527,48
SUE DE	Silver Bullion.	19,154 19,154 19,154 19,154 19,154 19,154	NKING D	Seven Day and other Bills.	485,587 442,589 442,889 441,660 442,600 441,600 460,101 460,101 460,101 463,807 468,714 468,714 468,714
31	Gold Coin and Bullion.	20,971,241 20,888,676 21,033,151 20,717,076 20,748,116 20,573,581 20,680,121	BAN		
	Other Securities.	2,984,900 20 2,984,900 20 2,984,900 20 2,984,900 20 2,984,900 20 2,984,900 20 2,984,900 20		Other Deposits.	11,532,546 11,533,546 11,533,645 13,107,431 12,670,739 12,647,099 12,444,448 12,498,548 12,498,548 12,498,548 12,498,548 12,498,548 12,496,270
		1		Public Deposits.	8,935,158 9,075,158 4,898,568 4,449,346 4,644,600 5,640,143 6,641,061 7,258,422 7,758,771 8,644,726 8,644,728
	Government Debt.	11,015,100 11,015,100 11,015,100 11,015,100 11,015,100 11,015,100 11,015,100		Pu	<u> </u>
	Notes in hands of Public.	22,243,815 22,252,185 23,659,860 23,160,215 23,813,055 23,851,145 23,302,286		Rest.	3,557,415 3,589,667 3,096,196 3,098,897 3,100,002 3,130,006 3,130,998 3,131,398 3,133,998 3,006,773 3,080,773
	Notes Issued.	34,990,395 34,907,880 35,052,305 34,736,230 34,767,270 34,693,735 34,699,275		Proprietors' Capital.	14,553,000 14,553,000 14,553,000 14,553,000 14,553,000 14,553,000 14,553,000 14,553,000 14,553,000 14,553,000
	Date.	1852. Oct. 2 " 16 " 23 Nov. 6		Date.	1852. Oct. 2 16 16 18

CURRENCY .- Continued.

COUNTRY BANKS.

Average Amount of Promissory Notes in Circulation in England and Wales in each week, ended on a Saturday, for the Fourth Quarter of 1852.

[Compiled from the "London Gazette."]

ENGLAND AND WALES.

Date.	Private Banks.	Joint Stock Banks,	Total.
1852.			
Oct. 2	3,636,500	3,032,977	6,669,477
,, 9	3,827,080	3,105,824	6,932,904
,, 16	3,904,871	3,159,353	7,064,224
,, 23	3,894,690	3,077,673	6,972,363
,, 30	3,867,599	2,980,743	6,848,342
Nov. 6	3,850,756	2,993,999	6,844,755
,, 13	3,813,627	3,006,909	6,820,536
,, 20	3,756,726	2,983,962	6,740,688
,, 27	3,698,717	2,931,948	6,630,665
Dec. 4	3,670,280	2,911,232	6,581,512
,, 11	3,647,619	2,910,803	6,558,422
,, 18	3,642,541	2,918,270	6,560,811
,, 24	3,632,016	2,916,002	6,548,018

Fixed Issues-Private Banks, £4,655,619; Joint Stock Banks, £3,409,987.

Average Amount of Promissory Notes in Circulation in Scotland and Ireland during the Months ended the 30th of October, the 27th of November, and the 25th of December.

SCOTLAND.

Date.	$\pounds 5$ and above.	Under £5.	Total.
1852. Oct. 30	£ 1,257,230	£ 2,363,453	£ 3,620,689
Nov. 27	Returns incomplete	Returns incomplete	Returns incomplet
Dec. 25	1,273,612	2,490,449	3,764,064

IRELAND.

Date.	£5 and above.	Under £5.	Total.
1852. Oct. 30	£ 2,447,993	£ 3,098,479	£ 5,546,472
Nov. 27	2,417,663	3,205,487	5,623,152
Dec. 25	2,408,296	3,277,144	5,685,441

Fixed Issues—Scotland, £3,087,209; Ireland, £6,354,494.